The Judiciary, State of Hawai'i

RFP No. J06060

ADDITIONAL PURCHASE OF SERVICES FOR FISCAL BIENNIUM 2005 - 2007

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September 26, 2005

To: All Applicants

From: Janell M. Kim, Assistant Fiscal & Support Services Administrator

Subject: Request for Proposals No. J06060

Additional Purchase of Services for Fiscal Biennium 2005 - 2007

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Attached is a packet of materials which outlines the requirements for proposal applications. It includes the administrative requirements, service specifications, application form, and other information. This RFP is also available on our Judiciary web site at http://www.courts.state.hi.us under "General Information; Business with the Judiciary".

Persons or organizations must submit three (3) sets (Orig + 2 copies) of their completed proposals (in hard copy or in PDF format on CD) and they must be postmarked (by US Postal Service) before midnight on October 21, 2005, or hand delivered by 4:00 p.m., Hawaii Standard Time, October 21, 2005, to the following address:

> The Judiciary, State of Hawaii Financial Services Division Contracts and Purchasing Office Kauikeaouli Hale (District Court Building) 1111 Alakea Street., 6th Floor Honolulu, Hi 96813-2807

Proposals postmarked or hand delivered after the above date and times will not be **considered and will be returned to the applicant.** The actual funding of the contract will be based on the proposal applications submitted by the applicants and the services required by the Judiciary. The Administrative Director of the Courts reserves the right and power to award the contract in any manner which he deems to be in the best interest of the Judiciary.

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October 10, 2005 Kauai Fifth Circuit Court 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

> Kauai Judiciary Complex, Room A-201 3970 Kaana Street, Lihue, Kauai, HI Contact: Edwin S. Sugawara Ph. 482-2422 Email: edwin.s.sugawara@courts.state.hi.us

All prospective applicants are encouraged to attend the orientation and bring their RFP packets with them.

Program questions may be directed to the above contact person. Other questions regarding this Request for Proposals may be directed to Jonathan Wong in the Contracts & Purchasing Office at 808-538-5805, or Email: jonathan.h.wong@courts.state.hi.us.

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SECTION ONE ADMINISTRATIVE OVERVIEW

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Applicants are encouraged to read each section of this RFP thoroughly. While sections such as the administrative overview may appear similar among RFPs, state purchasing agencies may add additional information as applicable. It is the responsibility of the applicant to understand the requirements of this RFP.

1.1 Authority

This RFP is issued under the provisions of the Hawaii Revised Statutes, Chapter 103F and its administrative rules. All prospective applicants are charged with presumptive knowledge of all requirements of the cited authorities. Submission of a valid executed proposal by any prospective applicant shall constitute admission of such knowledge on the part of the prospective applicant.

1.2 RFP Organization

This RFP is organized into five sections:

<u>SECTION ONE</u>, Administrative Overview--Provides applicants with an overview of the procurement process.

<u>SECTION TWO</u>, Service Specifications--Provides applicants with a general description of the tasks to be performed, delineates applicant responsibilities, and defines deliverables (as applicable).

<u>SECTION THREE</u>, Proposal Application—Describes the required format and content for the proposal application.

<u>SECTION FOUR</u>, *Proposal Evaluation*—Describes how proposals will be evaluated by the Judiciary.

<u>SECTION FIVE</u>, Attachments -- Provides applicants with information and forms necessary to complete the application.

1.3 Contracting Office

The Contracting Office is responsible for receiving and for the execution of the contract(s) resulting from this RFP. The Contracting Office is:

The Judiciary, State of Hawaii Financial Services Division Contracts and Purchasing Office 1111 Alakea Street, 6th Floor

Honolulu, Hi 96813-2807 Phone: (808)538-5805 Fax: (808) 538-5802

1.4 Procurement Timetable

Activity		Scheduled Date
A.	Public Notice announcing RFP	September 26, 2005
В.	Distribution of RFP	September 26, 2005 - October 24, 2005
C.	RFP orientation session	October 10, 2005
D.	Closing date for submission of written questions for written responses	4:00 p.m. October 12, 2005
E.	Judiciary's response to applicants' written questions	October 14, 2005
F.	Discussions with applicants prior to submittal deadline (optional).	Sept. 26, 2005 - October 21, 2005
G.	PROPOSAL SUBMITTAL DEADLINE	4:00 p.m. or Postmarked October 21, 2005
H.	Discussions with applicants after submittal deadline (optional).	November, 2005
I.	Final revised proposals (optional).	November, 2005
G.	Proposal evaluation period	November, 2005
H.	Provider selection	November 2005
J.	Notice of statement of findings and decisions	November 2005
K.	Contract start date (tentative)	December 1, 2005
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1.5 Orientation

Orientations for applicants in reference to the request for proposals will be held on the following dates, at the locations and times indicated:

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3970 Kaana Street Lihue, Kauai, HI

Contact: Edwin S. Sugawara Ph. 808-482-2422 Email: edwin.s.sugawara@courts.state.hi.us

Applicants attending the orientation should bring their RFP packets with them. Applicants are encouraged to submit written questions prior to the orientation. Impromptu questions will be permitted and spontaneous answers provided at the orientation at the Judiciary's discretion. Verbal answers provided at the orientation are only intended as general direction and may not represent the Judiciary's position. Formal official responses will be provided in writing. To ensure a written response from the Judiciary, any questions should be submitted in writing following the close of the orientation, but no later than the date indicated in Section 1.4, Procurement Timetable, in order to generate a written Judiciary response.

1.6 Submission of Questions

Applicants may submit questions to the RFP Contact Person identified in the Service Specifications in SECTION TWO of this RFP. The deadline for submission of written questions and to receive written responses from the Judiciary to those questions are indicated in Section 1.4. Procurement Timetable.

1.7 Submission of Proposals

1.7.1 Forms/Formats

Forms, with the exception of program specific requirements, may be found on the State Procurement Office website at: www.spo.hawaii.gov, click *Procurement of Health and Human Services* and *For Private Providers*. Please refer to the Proposal Application Checklist (SECTION FIVE, ATTACHMENT A) for the location of program for information on: 1) where to obtain the forms/instructions; 2) additional program specific requirements; and 3) the order in which all components of the application should be assembled and submitted to the Judiciary. Proposals must contain the following components:

- A. **Proposal Application Identification Form (Form SPO-H-200)** Provides identification of the proposal. Although a hard copy Judiciary Proposal Application Identification Form is included in Attachment B of this RFP, applicants may use the form available (and writeable) on the SPO website.
- B. **Proposal Application Check List** Provides applicants with information on where to obtain the required forms; information on program specific requirements; which forms are required and the order in which all components should be assembled and submitted to the Judiciary.
- C. **Table of Contents -** A sample table of contents for proposals is located in SECTION FIVE, ATTACHMENT B. This is sample and meant as aguide. The table of contents may vary depending on the RFP.
- D. **Proposal Application (Form SPO-H-200A)** A sample application showing the format of the application headings is located in SECTION FIVE, ATTACHMENT B. Applicant shall submit comprehensive narratives that addresses all of the issues contained in the Proposal Application Instructions, including a cost proposal/budget if required. (Refer to Section 3 of this RFP)
- E. **Registration Form** (SPO-H-100A) If applicant is not pre-registered with the State Procurement Office (business status), this form must be submitted with the application. If an applicant is unsure as to their pre-registration status, they may check the State Procurement website at: http://www.spo.hawaii.gov, click on Procurement of Health and Human Services, and For Private Providers and Provider Lists...The list of Registered Private Providers for Use with the Competitive Method of Procurement or call the State Procurement Office at (808) 587-4706.
- F. **Tax Clearance** A certified copy of a current valid tax clearance certificate issued by the State of Hawaii, Department of Taxation (DOTAX) and the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) will be required prior to execution of any contract awarded in response to this RFP. The tax clearance application may be obtained from the Department of Taxation website at www.hawaii.gov/tax/tax.html.
- G. **Certifications** Federal and/or State certifications, as applicable.
- H. **Program Specific Requirements** Additional program specific requirements are

- included in SECTION TWO, Service Specifications, and/or SECTION THREE, Proposal Application, as applicable.
- I. **Multiple or alternate proposals** Multiple or alternate proposals shall **not** be accepted unless specifically provided for in SECTION TWO of this RFP. In the event alternate proposals are **not** accepted and an applicant submits alternate proposals, but clearly indicates a primary proposal, it shall be considered for an award as though it were the only proposal submitted by the applicant.
- J. **Proposal Submittal** Proposals must be postmarked by USPS or hand delivered by the designated date and time in Section 1.4, Procurement Timetable. Any proposal post-marked or received after the designated date and time shall be rejected. Note that postmarks must be by United States Postal Service or they will be considered hand-delivered and shall be rejected if late.
 - Proposals on CD Proposals may be submitted on CD (3 copies of CD) in Adobe's pdf format along with hard copies of the Proposal Application Identification Form (See SECTION FIVE, ATTACHMENT B, Form SPO-H-200). Hard copies (Orig. + 2) of the entire proposal will also be accepted.
- K. Wages and Labor Law Compliance Before a provider enters into a service contract in excess of \$25,000, the provider shall certify that it complies with section 103-55, HRS, Wages, hours, and working conditions of employees of contractors performing services. Section 103-55 HRS may be obtained from the Hawaii State Legislature website at http://capitol.hawaii.gov/. Or go directly to: http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/hrscurrent/Vol02 Ch0046-0115/HRS0103/HRS 0103-0055.htm.
- L. Confidential Information If an applicant believes any portion of a proposal contains information that should be withheld as confidential, the applicant shall request in writing non-disclosure of designated proprietary data to be confidential and provide justification to support confidentiality. Such data shall accompany the proposal, be clearly marked, and shall be readily separable from the proposal to facilitate eventual public inspection of the non-confidential sections of the proposal.

Note that price is not considered confidential and will not be withheld.

1.8 Discussions with Applicants

- **1.8.1 Prior to Submittal Deadline** Discussions may be conducted with potential applicants to promote understanding of the purchasing agency's requirements.
- **1.8.2 After Proposal Submittal Deadline** Discussions may be conducted with applicants whose proposals are determined to be reasonably susceptible of being selected for an award, but proposals may be accepted without discussions, in accordance with the administrative rules (Section 3-143-403, HAR.).

1.9 Opening of Proposals

Upon receipt of proposal by The Judiciary at a designated location, proposals, modifications to proposals, and withdrawals of proposals shall be date-stamped, and when possible, time stamped. All documents so received shall be held in a secure place by the Judiciary and not examined for evaluation purposes until the submittal deadline.

Procurement files shall be open to public inspection after a contract has been awarded and executed by all parties.

1.10 Additional Materials and Documentation

Upon request from the Judiciary, each applicant shall submit any additional materials and documentation reasonably required by the Judiciary in its evaluation of the proposals.

1.11 RFP Amendments

The Judiciary reserves the right to amend this RFP at any time prior to the closing date for the final revised proposals.

1.12 Final Revised Proposals

The applicant's final revised proposal, *as applicable* to this RFP, must be postmarked or hand delivered by the proposal submittal deadline indicated in Section 1.4 above. Any final revised proposal postmarked or received after the designated date and time shall be rejected. If a final revised proposal is not submitted, the previous submittal sahll be construed as the applicant's best and final offer/proposal. *Only the section(s) of the proposal that are amended shall be submitted by the applicant, along with the Proposal Application Identification Form (SPO-H-200)*. After final revised proposals are received, final evaluations will be conducted for an award.

1.13 Cancellation of Request for Proposal

The request for proposal may be canceled and any or all proposals may be rejected in whole or in part, when it is determined to be in the best interests of the Judiciary.

1.14 Costs for Proposal Preparation

Any costs incurred by applicants in preparing or submitting a proposal are the applicants' sole responsibility.

1.15 Provider Participation in Planning

Provider participation in the Judiciary's efforts to plan for or to purchase health and human services prior to the Judiciary's release of a request for proposals, including the sharing of information on community needs, best practices, and providers' resources, shall not disqualify providers from submitting proposals if conducted in accordance with sections 3-142-202, 3-142-203 and 3-143-618 of the Hawaii Administrative Rules for Chapter 103F, HRS.

1.16 Rejection of Proposals

The Judiciary reserves the right to consider as acceptable only those proposals submitted in accordance with all requirements set forth in this RFP and which demonstrate an understanding of the problems involved and comply with the service specifications. Any proposal offering any other set of terms and conditions contradictory to those included in this RFP may be rejected without further notice.

A proposal may be automatically rejected for any one or more of the following reasons: (Relevant sections of the Hawaii Administrative Rules for Chapter 103F, HRS are parenthesized.)

- A. Rejection for failure to cooperate or deal in good faith. (Section 3-141-201)
- B. Rejection for inadequate accounting system. (Section 3-141-202)
- C. Late proposals. (Section 3-143-603)

- D. Inadequate response to request for proposals. (Section 3-143-609)
- E. Proposal not responsive. (Section 3-143-610 (1))
- F. Applicant not responsible. (Section 3-143-610 (2))

1.17 Notice of Award

A Notice of Award containing a statement of findings and decision shall be provided to all applicants by mail upon completion of the evaluation of competitive purchase of service proposals.

Any agreement arising out of this solicitation is subject to the approval of the Judiciary's Staff Attorney as to form.

No work is to be undertaken by the awardee prior to the contract commencement date. The Judiciary is not liable for any costs incurred prior to the official starting date.

1.18 Protests

- **1.18.1** Any applicant may file a protest against the awarding of the contract. The Notice of Protest form, SPO-H-801, is available on the SPO website indicated on the Proposal Application Checklist. Only the following matters may be protested:
 - A. The purchasing agency's failure to follow procedures established by Chapter 103F of the Hawaii Revised Statutes;
 - B. The purchasing agency's failure to follow any rule established by Chapter 103F of the Hawaii Revised Statutes; and
 - C. The purchasing agency's failure to follow any procedure, requirement, or evaluation criterion in a request for proposals issued by the Judiciary.
- **1.18.2** The Notice of Protest shall be mailed by USPS or hand delivered to the head of the Judiciary purchasing agency conducting the protested procurement (as indicated below) within five working days of the postmark of the Notice of Findings and Decision sent to the protestor. Delivery Services other than USPS shall be considered hand deliveries and considered submitted on the date of actual receipt by the state purchasing agency.

Steven Okihara, Chief Court Administrator Fifth Circuit Court 3970 Kaana Street, STE 301 Lihue, HI 96766-1283

Questions regarding protests may be directed to the applicable procurement officer, identified as the programmatic contact person for the service specifications described in SECTION TWO of this RFP.

1.19 Availability of Funds

The award of a contract and any allowed renewal or extension thereof, are subject to allotments to be made by the Administrative Director of the Courts and subject to the availability of State and/or Federal funds.

1.20 Monitoring and Evaluation

The criteria by which the performance of the contract will be monitored and evaluated are:

- A. Performance/Outcome Measures
- B. Output Measures
- C. Quality of Care/Quality of Services
- D. Financial Management
- E. Administrative Requirements

1.21 General and Special Conditions of Contract

The general conditions that will be imposed contractually are attached (See SECTION FIVE, ATTACHMENT C). Special conditions may also be imposed contractually by the Judiciary, as deemed necessary.

1.22 Cost Principles

In order to promote uniform purchasing practices among state purchasing agencies procuring health and human services under Chapter 103F, HRS, state purchasing agencies will utilize standard cost principles outlined in Form SPO-H-201, which is available on the State Procurement Office website. Nothing in this section shall be construed to create an exemption from any cost principle arising under federal law.

END OF SECTION ONE

SECTION TWO

SERVICE SPECIFICATIONS

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2.0.1 Introduction

A. Background

The Judiciary, State of Hawaii, provides support, intervention and/or rehabilitative services to juveniles, adults and families through its Adult Client Services (fka Adult Probation Divisions), Juvenile Client and Family Services (fka Family Courts), Children's Justice Centers, and Drug Courts in each judicial circuit. It also provides mediation services through its Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution. In carrying out their goals for these areas, all circuits utilize community resources on a purchase of services basis.

The following provides the specifications for organizations wishing to provide services to the Judiciary for the State Fiscal Biennium 2005-2007. Upon evaluation and acceptance of proposals, when practicable and upon mutual agreement, contracts may be negotiated on a statewide basis, making services available to children, youth, adults and families in all circuits. The contract term will be for approximately 19 months, e.g., December 1, 2005 through June 30, 2007.

B. Purpose or Need

The Judiciary purchases services in compliance with statutory mandates and orders from the courts. The greater public purpose for obtaining the services is to: enhance public and victim safety; provide rehabilitative or intervention services to offenders; promote the welfare of families and children by protecting them from physical and psychological harm; and maintain a judicial process that helps to reduce the courts' workload while promoting fairness and prompt action.

Planning activities related to this RFP involved the issuance of requests for information (RFI). Tentative specifications and funding allocations were included with the RFIs, and comments and inputs on aspects of the specifications, such as objectives, target group(s), services and costs, were welcomed. Meetings and discussions were also offered. The views of service recipients and community advocacy organizations were also considered on conditions affecting the achievement of mandated goals. Input was also obtained from funders, including the Legislature and federal agencies.

Note: The following segment contains the program specifications for the requested services.

2.0.2 Description and Location of Services

Service Specification Number	Service Spec. Code	Description of Service	1st Circ. (Oahu)	2nd Circ. (Maui, Molokai, Lanai)	3rd Circ. (Hawaii)	5th Circ. (Kauai)
		Adult Client Services				
2.1	ACSO	Assessment and Treatment of Adult Sex Offenders				X
2.2	ACDV	Domestic Violence Intervention Services				X

2.1 Service Spec. Title: Adult Client Services

ACSO - Assessment and Treatment of Adult Sex Offenders

2.1.1 Introduction

A. & B. - (SEE SECTION 2.0.1)

C. Description of the goals of the service

Sex offender specific treatment services are needed to provide the Judiciary and the community with a comprehensive approach in dealing with adults who are sentenced or directed by the court to obtain sex offender treatment services.

D. Description of the target population to be served

Adults (male/female) referred for pre-sentence assessment evaluations and convicted offenders who as a condition of court supervision require sex offender treatment.

E. Geographic coverage of service

Service areas include the following:

Fifth Circuit -- Island of Kauai

F. Probable funding amounts, source, and period of availability

Probable funding amounts:

FY 2006 FY 2007

Funding amounts are not being stated at this time. Applicants should propose funding amounts in their proposals based on their best estimate of the cost of providing the services described in these specifications.

Funding source: State general funds.

Period of availability: The Judiciary intends to award a multi-term contract. The aggregate term of the contract shall not exceed two(2) years, e.g., July 1, 2005 to June 30, 2007, subject to the appropriation and availability of funds and satisfactory contract performance. Funds are available for only the initial term of the contract.

2.1.2 General Requirements

A. Specific qualifications or requirements, including but not limited to licensure or accreditation

- 1. The applicant shall have licenses and certificates, as applicable, in accordance with federal, state and county regulations, and comply with all applicable Hawaii Administrative Rules.
- 2. The applicant must have demonstrated its competence or qualifications to perform the required services. The assessor and primary treatment therapist must hold a

master's or doctoral degree in one of the disciplines related to human services, such as psychology, social work, nursing, counseling, and psychiatry and meet the academic training and work experience described in the SOMT qualification guidelines.

- 3. The applicant must have an accounting system, with acceptable accounting practices and standards.
- 4. The proposed service must meet all required state licensing or certification standards, provide assurances of fair hearing and grievance procedures for clientele, civil rights compliance, information safeguarding practices, and provide proof of insurance coverages as applicable.
- 5. The applicant shall submit in a timely manner upon request by the Judiciary, any additional information needed by the Judiciary to make a decision on the applicant's proposal. The Judiciary may request an oral discussion or presentation in support of the proposal. On-site visits may be made.
- 6. The applicant shall comply with the Chapter 103F, HRS Cost Principles for Purchases of Health and Human Services identified in SPO-H-201 (Effective 10/01/98), which can be found on the SPO website (See Section 5, Proposal Application Checklist, for the website address).

В.	Secondary purchaser participation (Refer to §3-143-608, HAR)				
	After-the-fact secondary purchases are al	lowed.			
C.	Multiple or alternate proposals (Refer to §3-143-605, HAR)				
	[] Allowed [X	[] Unallowed			
D.	Single or multiple contracts to be awar (Refer to §3-143-206, HAR)	Single or multiple contracts to be awarded (Refer to §3-143-206, HAR)			
	[] Single []	Multiple [X] Single & Multiple			
		ontract for treatment services for both sides of the act for psychosexual assessment as part of a			
Е.	Single or multi-term contracts to be av (Refer to §3-149-302, HAR)	varded			
	[X] Single term (< 2 yrs)	[] Multi-term (> 2 yrs.)			

F. RFP contact persons

The individuals listed below are the points of contact from the date of release of this RFP until the selection of the winning provider or providers. Written questions should be submitted to the RFP contact person(s) and received on or before the day and time specified in Section 1.4 (Procurement Timetable) of this RFP.

If you have any technical questions regarding the requested services, please call the following individual:

Contracts & Purchasing Office

Jonathan Wong at (808) 538-5805 Fax: 538-5802

Email: jonathan.h.wong@courts.state.hi.us

If you have any programmatic questions regarding the requested services, please call the following individual:

Kauai: Adult Client Probation Services, Fifth Circuit

Edwin S. Sugawara at (808) 482-2422 Fax: 482-2652

Email: edwin.s.sugawara@courts.state.hi.us

2.1.3 Scope of Work

The scope of work encompasses the following tasks and responsibilities:

A. Service Activities (Minimum and/or mandatory tasks and responsibilities)

- 1. To provide sex offender treatment that follow the guidelines set forth by the Sex Offender Management Team (SOMT). The treatment curriculum will combine Relapse Prevention, Behavior Modification, and Psychological components to sex offenders in groups consisting of no more than seven. The goal of treatment is to increase the sex offenders' coping skills to manage their impulses to sexually assault.
- 2. To provide assessment services that follow the guidelines set forth by the SOMT. The comprehensive evaluation reports will summarize the results of assessments conducted upon sex offenders. Components to be summarized include: a) a clinical interview; b) history; c) psychometric testing; d) penile plethysmograph testing; and e) polygraph examination.
- 3. Applicants shall demonstrate understanding and preliminary integration of "The Principles of Effective Intervention with Offenders" and the "Program Development and Implementation CPAI Checklist". (Both documents are available from the programmatic contact person for this service specification.)

The nature and scope of the services to be provided shall be performed in accordance with established clinical principles, clinical practices, and clinical ethics.

B. Management Requirements (Minimum and/or mandatory requirements)

1. Personnel

a. The applicant shall possess and document knowledge, capacity, skills and

experience in working with the targeted population.

- b. The applicant shall conduct, at a minimum, a criminal history record check for any person who is employed or seeks employment or volunteers in a position which necessitates close proximity to clients. This shall apply to all administrative and program staff. For administrative and program staff working in a position which necessitates close proximity to children or adolescents, the criminal history check shall include fingerprinting. A copy of the criminal history record check and fingerprinting check shall be placed in the employee's or volunteer's personnel file and shall be available for review.
- c. The applicant shall have on the premises at least one person currently certified in First Aid and CPR.
- d. The staff and volunteers, if used by the applicant, shall be under the supervision of the program director or his or her designee and shall, accordingly, be trained in client confidentiality issues and program quality assurance requirements.
- e. The applicant must have sufficient and relevant training and staff development.

2. Administrative

The applicant shall establish and implement policies and procedures which clearly identify the target population for each type of service, the program content, and methods of service delivery.

3. Quality assurance and evaluation specifications

- a. The applicant shall have a quality assurance plan which identifies the mission of the organization, what services will be provided, how they are delivered, who is qualified to deliver the services, who is eligible to receive the services, and what standards are used to assess or evaluate the quality and utilization of services.
- b. Program evaluation should reflect the documentation of the achievement of the stated goals, using tools and measures consistent with the professional standards of the disciplines involved in the delivery of services.

4. Output and performance/outcome measurements

- a. Output: The applicant shall record unduplicated clients served. The unduplicated client count shall be recorded in the applicant's quarterly reports, culminating in a final unduplicated client count on the applicant's final report.
- b. Outcome: The applicant shall propose measurement tools by which effectiveness of the services may be determined, as well as utilize any provided by the Judiciary.

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5. Reporting requirements for program and fiscal data

- a. The provider shall submit written quarterly and year-end reports summarizing output and outcome data, performance accomplishments, challenges, and actual expenditures. Quarterly reports are due 30 days after the end of the quarter. Final reports are due 45 days after the end of each fiscal year and/or at the end of the contract period, as applicable.
- b. Reports shall consist of a statement by the provider relating to the work accomplished during the reporting period and shall include statements of the nature of the work performed, identification of persons served by the provider during the reporting period, identification of any immediate problems encountered during the reporting period, and any recommendations deemed pertinent by the provider, as well as a statement of what activities are proposed to be accomplished during the next reporting period. In addition to the written progress reports, the provider, upon request, shall be required to meet with representatives of the Judiciary to discuss the progress of the work required.
- c. The provider shall, at the completion of the contract period, submit a final written report to the Judiciary. The report shall include documentation of the provider's overall effort towards meeting the program goals and objectives. Furthermore, the provider shall furnish any additional reports or information that the Judiciary may from time to time require or request.

6. Pricing or pricing methodology to be used

Pricing methodology shall be negotiated unit of service.

7. Units of service and unit rate

Units of service (per year)

	<u>Kauai</u>
Sex offender treatment	7
Psychosexual evaluations	2

2.2 Service Spec. Title: Adult Client Probation Services ACDV - Domestic Violence Intervention Services

2.2.1 Introduction

A. & B. - (SEE SECTION 2.0.1)

C. Description of the goals of the service

Domestic violence intervention services are requested that will provide victims and the community with safety, and hold offenders accountable. Experience in working with individuals and/or families involved in domestic violence in gender relevant ways is required. Applicants must evidence the ability to collaborate with other domestic violence agencies including, but not limited to, active participation in and with domestic violence coalitions, task forces, criminal justice agencies, the Judiciary, and other relevant state agencies and private sector organizations.

D. Description of the target population to be served

Adults of either sex who have been adjudicated and/or referred by the court.

E. Geographic coverage of service

Service areas include the following:

Fifth Circuit -- Island of Kauai

F. Probable funding amounts, source, and period of availability

Probable funding amounts:

FY 2006 FY 2007

Funding amounts are not being stated at this time. Applicants should propose funding amounts in their proposals based on their best estimate of the cost of providing the services described in these specifications.

Funding source: State General Funds.

Period of availability: The Judiciary intends to award a single-term contract, tentatively from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2007. Contract term is subject to the appropriation and availability of funds and satisfactory contract performance.

2.2.2 General Requirements

A. Specific qualifications or requirements, including but not limited to licensure or accreditation.

- 1. The applicant shall have licenses and certificates, as applicable, in accordance with federal, state and county regulations, and comply with all applicable Hawaii Administrative Rules.
- 2. The applicant must have demonstrated competence or qualifications to perform the required services and shall have a minimum one year experience in the provision of services.

- 3. The applicant must have an accounting system, with acceptable accounting practices and standards.
- 4. The proposed service must meet all required state licensing or certification standards, provide assurances of fair hearing and grievance procedures for clientele, civil rights compliance, information safeguarding practices, and provide proof of insurance coverages as applicable.
- 5. The applicant shall submit in a timely manner upon request by the Judiciary, any additional information needed by the Judiciary to make a decision on the applicant's proposal. The Judiciary may request an oral discussion or presentation in support of the proposal. On-site visits may be made.
- 6. The applicant shall comply with the Chapter 103F, HRS Cost Principles for Purchases of Health and Human Services identified in SPO-H-201 (Effective 10/01/98), which can be found on the SPO website (See Section 5, Proposal Application Checklist, for the website address).

В. Secondary purchaser participation

(Refer to §3-143-608, HAR)

After-the-fact secondary purchases will be allowed.

C.	Multiple or alternate proposal (Refer to §3-143-605, HAR)	ls
	[] Allowed	[X] Unallowed
D.	Single or multiple contracts to (Refer to §3-143-206, HAR)	be awarded
	[] Single	[] Multiple [X] Single & Multiple
	Multiple contracts may be award	ded if such awards are deemed to be in the best

he best interests of the Judiciary, and will be based on the highest ranked proposals.

Ε. Single or multi-term contracts to be awarded

(Refer to §3-149-302, HAR)

[X] Single term (< 2 yrs) [] Multi-term (> 2 yrs.)

F. **RFP** contact persons

The individuals listed below are the points of contact from the date of release of this RFP until the selection of the winning provider or providers. Written questions should be submitted to the RFP contact person(s) and received on or before the day and time specified in Section 1.4 (Procurement Timetable) of this RFP.

If you have any technical questions regarding the requested services, please call the following individual:

> Judiciary Contracts and Purchasing Office Jonathan Wong at (808) 538-5805 Fax: 538-5802

> > Service Specifications Section 2.2 - ACDV

Email: jonathan.h.wong@courts.state.hi.us

If you have any programmatic questions regarding the requested services, please call the following individual:

Kauai: Adult Client Probation Services, Fifth Circuit

Edwin S. Sugawara (808) 4822422 Fax: 482-2652

Email: edwin.s.sugawara@courts.state.hi.us

2.2.3 Scope of Work

The scope of work encompasses the following tasks and responsibilities:

A. Service Activities (Minimum and/or mandatory tasks and responsibilities)

Specific domestic violence intervention services to offenders must follow the guidelines in the "Hawaii Batterers Program Standards". All offender programs must utilize recognized effective "best-practice" interventions based on current knowledge and research, and be presented in culturally appropriate and gender relevant ways. Batterer groups should ideally have no more than 16 to 24 (unless otherwise designated by the circuit) participants and be led by facilitators of each gender.

All batterers programs must include a component to address the safety of the victim. This must include assessment of lethality potential and risk assessment for victim safety with appropriate action to be taken based on such evaluation, and victim contact for the purpose of providing program information, enhancing victim safety, and referral to victim support services.

Services to adult victims of domestic violence will include but not be limited to any of the following: support counseling; preparation of restraining orders; assistance with other court related services; information and referral services regarding legal, criminal justice and other issues in domestic violence; legal assistance to include representation, preparation of temporary restraining orders and other related court actions; court advocacy, crisis counseling, outreach services, case management, safety planning, legal services, child care; and parenting programs. Applicants shall document appropriate linkages to other services on the continuum (i.e., substance abuse evaluation/services, mental health evaluation/services).

Applicants shall ensure that supervision over program activities and on-going training is provided to all employees and contract personnel that provide and/or supervise client services. Supervision of facilitators must include monthly documented assessment of adherence to the Hawaii Batterers Intervention Program Standards for the Island of Oahu, Hawaii, 2002 (Revised 7/02), and quarterly monitoring of group sessions by supervisory personnel. All supervisory or consultant personnel shall have training and experience in working with perpetrators of, and adult and child victims of domestic violence. Programs shall assist clients with access to outside consultants who are knowledgeable about psychiatric problems, substance abuse problems, post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), and suicidal and homicidal ideation.

Applicants shall collaborate with other appropriate service providers, including but not limited to domestic violence shelters and victim advocates, domestic violence coalitions and task forces, criminal justice agencies, the Judiciary, and other relevant state agencies and private sector organizations.

B. Management Requirements (Minimum and/or mandatory requirements)

1. Personnel

- a. The applicant shall possess and document knowledge, capacity, skills and experience in working with the targeted population.
- b. The applicant shall conduct, at a minimum, a criminal history record check for any person who is employed or seeks employment or volunteers in a position which necessitates close proximity to clients. This shall apply to all administrative and program staff. For administrative and program staff working in a position which necessitates close proximity to children or adolescents, the criminal history check shall include fingerprinting. A copy of the criminal history record check and fingerprinting check shall be placed in the employee's or volunteer's personnel file and shall be available for review.
- c. The applicant shall have on the premises at least one person currently certified in First Aid and CPR.
- d. The staff and volunteers, if used by the applicant, shall be under the supervision of the program director or his or her designee and shall, accordingly, be trained in client confidentiality issues and program quality assurance requirements.
- e. The applicant must have sufficient and relevant training and staff development.

2. Administrative

The applicant shall establish and implement policies and procedures which clearly identify the target population for each type of service, the program content, and methods of service delivery.

3. Quality assurance and evaluation specifications

- a. The applicant shall have a quality assurance plan which identifies the mission of the organization, and if that mission is not specifically related to the family court domestic violence intervention services provided, then an appropriate "sub-mission," i.e., what services will be provided, how they are delivered, who is qualified to deliver the services, who is eligible to receive the services, and what standards are used to assess or evaluate the quality and utilization of services.
- b. The quality assurance plan shall serve as procedural guidelines for staff, and will confer designated individuals and committees with the authority to fulfill their responsibilities in the areas of quality assurance.
- c. The quality assurance process shall serve as a source of information for parties interested in knowing how the program monitors and improves the quality of its services. Findings shall be integrated and reviewed by the quality assurance committee, and information shall be conveyed to the program administrator and the organization's executive officer and governing body at least annually.

- d. The quality assurance system shall identify strengths and deficiencies, indicate corrective actions to be taken, validate corrections, and recognize and implement innovative, efficient, or effective methods for the purpose of overall program improvement.
- e. Program evaluation should reflect the documentation of the achievement of the stated goals of the program using tools and measures consistent with the best-practice standards of the disciplines involved in the delivery of services.

4. Output and performance/outcome measurements

- a. Output: The applicant shall record unduplicated clients served. The unduplicated client count shall be recorded in the applicant's quarterly reports, culminating in a final unduplicated client count on the applicant's final report.
- b. Outcome: The applicant shall indicate measurement tool(s) by which effectiveness of the services may be determined, as well as utilize the following by the Judiciary. It is strongly suggested that criteria for program completion be based on the achievement of measurable client performance outcomes rather than a participant attending a specific number of sessions. If the percentages in the following are thought to be unreachable by the program, indicate the reasons why and present a counter proposal with justification.
 - 1) ____percent (__%) of all clients completing batterer intervention services have remained violence free for no less than twenty (20) consecutive weeks prior to discharge. Measured by client self- and victim report, police records, confirmation with probation officer, etc.
 - 2) _____ percent (__%) of all clients completing batterer intervention services have taken responsibility for their violent behavior; ceased to blame the victim for the violence; and recognized the adverse effects of their violent acts. Measured by client self- and facilitator's written evaluation. (Verified by file records.)
 - One hundred percent (100%) of all clients completing batterer intervention services will complete a written individualized, practical plan to maintain non-violent behavior and will present that plan to the group for feedback. (Verified by copy of plan in client file and facilitators written evaluation of the practicability of plan.)
 - 4) Seventy-five percent (75%) of all clients completing batterer intervention services will improve their understanding of the nature and effects of domestic violence by 50%. Measured by pre-post test and facilitator's evaluation. (Verified by test copies in client file and file records of facilitator's evaluation.)
 - 5) Sixty percent (60%) of all clients completing batterer

intervention services will demonstrate the knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary for the maintenance of non-abusive behavior which includes learning non-violent conflict resolution and non-aggressive communication. (Concepts that may be used for measurement are: non-threatening behavior; respect; trust and support; honesty and accountability; shared responsibility; economic partnership; negotiation and fairness.) Measured by client self-report and facilitator's written evaluation at program completion. (Verified by curriculum and dates of session(s) presentation in group notes, file records.)

- One hundred percent (100%) of all clients completing batterer intervention services will significantly increase their knowledge of the effects of domestic violence on children. Measured by pre-post test and client self- and facilitator's evaluation. (Verified by curriculum and dates of session(s) presentation in group notes, copy of pre-post test in client file, and copy of client self- and facilitator's written evaluation in file.)
- Eighty percent (80%) of all clients completing batterer intervention services will demonstrate an increase in their development of empathy for others affected by their violent behavior. Measured by self- and facilitator's evaluation. (Verified by case notes and client self- and facilitator's written evaluation in client file.)

5. Reporting requirements for program and fiscal data

- a. The provider shall submit written quarterly and year-end reports summarizing output and outcome data, performance accomplishments, challenges, and actual expenditures. Quarterly reports are due 30 days after the end of the quarter. Final reports are due 45 days after the end of each fiscal year and/or at the end of the contract period, as applicable.
- b. Reports shall consist of a statement by the provider relating to the work accomplished during the reporting period and shall include statements of the nature of the work performed, identification of persons served by the provider during the reporting period, identification of any immediate problems encountered during the reporting period, and any recommendations deemed pertinent by the provider, as well as a statement of what activities are proposed to be accomplished during the next reporting period. In addition to the written progress reports, the provider, upon request, shall be required to meet with representatives of the Judiciary to discuss the progress of the work required.
- c. The provider shall, at the completion of the contract period, submit a final written report to the Judiciary. The report shall include documentation of the provider's overall effort towards meeting the program goals and objectives. Furthermore, the provider shall furnish any additional reports or information that the Judiciary may from time to time require or request.

6. Pricing or pricing methodology to be used

Negotiated unit of service or fixed price

7. Units of service and unit rate

Kauai: (Estimated number of referrals:)

Batterers 120 Victims 150

Proposals should include the average length of treatment and/or intervention services for batterers and victims.

SECTION THREE

PROPOSAL APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

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SECTION THREE -PROPOSAL APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

General instructions for completing applications:

- Proposal Applications shall be submitted to the Judiciary using the prescribed format outlined in this section.
- The numerical outline for the application, the titles/subtitles, and the applicant organization and RFP identification information on the top right hand corner of each page should be retained. The instructions for each section, however, may be omitted.
- Page numbering of the Proposal Application should be consecutive, beginning with page one and continuing through the complete proposal.
- Proposals may be submitted in a three ring binder (Optional).
- *Tabbing of sections (Recommended).*
- Applicants must also include a Table of Contents with the Proposal Application. A sample format is reflected in SECTION FIVE, **Attachment B** of this RFP.
- A written response is required for **each** item unless indicated otherwise. Failure to answer any of the items will impact upon an applicant's score.
- Applicants are encouraged to take SECTION FOUR, Proposal Evaluation, into consideration when completing the proposal.

The Proposal Application comprises the following sections:

- Proposal Application Identification Form
- Table of Contents
- Program Overview
- Experience and Capability
- Project Organization and Staffing
- Service Delivery
- Financial
- Other

3.1 Program Overview

This section shall clearly and concisely summarize and highlight the contents of the proposal in such a way as to provide the Judiciary with a broad understanding of the entire proposal. Include a brief description of the applicant's organization, the goals and objectives related to the service activity, and how the proposed service is designed to meet the problem/need identified in the service specifications.

3.2. Experience and Capability

3.2.1 Necessary Skills and Experience

The applicant shall demonstrate that it has the necessary skills, abilities, knowledge of, and experience relating to the delivery of the proposed services.

3.2.2 Experience

The applicant shall provide a listing of verifiable experience with projects or contracts for the

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most recent five years that are pertinent to the proposed services. Applicant shall include points of contact, addresses, email/phone numbers. The State reserves the right to contact references to verify experience.

3.2.2 Quality Assurance and Evaluation

The applicant shall describe its quality assurance and evaluation plans for the proposed services, including methodology.

3.2.3 Coordination of Services

The applicant shall demonstrate the capability to coordinate services with other agencies and resources in the community.

3.2.4 Facilities

The applicant shall provide a description of its facilities and demonstrate its adequacy in relation to the proposed services. If facilities are not presently available, describe plans to secure facilities. Also describe how the facilities meet ADA requirements, as applicable, and special equipment that may be required for the services.

3.3 Project Organization and Staffing

3.3.1 Proposed Staffing

The applicant shall describe the proposed staffing pattern, client/staff ratio and proposed caseload capacity appropriate for the viability of the services. (Refer to the personnel requirements in the Service Specifications, as applicable.)

3.3.2 Staff Qualifications

The applicant shall provide the minimum qualifications (including experience) for staff assigned to the program. (Refer to the qualifications in the Service Specifications, as applicable)

3.3.3 Supervision and Training

The applicant shall describe its ability to supervise, train and provide administrative direction relative to the delivery of the proposed services.

3.3.4 Organization Chart

The applicant shall reflect the position of each staff and line of responsibility/supervision. (Include position title, name and full time equivalency) Both the "Organization-wide" and "Program" organization charts shall be attached to the Proposal Application.

3.4 Service Delivery

The Service Delivery Section shall include a detailed discussion of the applicant's approach to applicable service activities and management requirements from the Scope of Work section within each service specification, including a work plan of all service activities and tasks to be completed, related work assignments/responsibilities and timelines/schedules.

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3.5 Financial

3.5.1 Pricing Structure

The applicant shall submit a cost proposal utilizing the pricing structure in SECTION TWO designated by the Judiciary purchasing agency. The cost proposal shall be attached to the Proposal Application.

3.5.1.1 Pricing Structure Based on Negotiated Unit of Service Rate

In order to determine a price (unit rate) for a unit of service, the applicant and state purchasing agency must negotiate the total costs (including agency administration) for operating a program at a specific capacity and divide by the total number of units of service that the program can produce at that capacity. The following forms, which are available on the State Procurement Office website on the "Procurement Forms and Instructions for State Agencies" page, shall be submitted with the Proposal Application:

Budget - SPO-H-205

Personnel - Salaries and Wages - SPO-H-206A

Personnel: Payroll Taxes, Assessments, and Fringe Benefits - SPO-H-206B

Budget Justification, Travel - Inter-Island - SPO-H-206C (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Travel - Out of State - SPO-H-206D (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Contractual Services - Administrative - SPO-H-206E (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Contractual Services - Subcontracts - SPO-H-206F (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Program Activities - SPO-H-206H (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Equipment Purchases - SPO-H-206I (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Motor Vehicle - SPO-H-206J (If applicable)

3.5.1.2 Pricing Structure Based on Fixed Price

If a state purchasing agency is utilizing a fixed price pricing structure for the RFP, the applicant is requested to furnish a reasonable estimate of services it can provide for which there is sufficient operating capacity (adequate, planned and budgeted space, equipment and staff). The following forms, which are available on the State Procurement Office website on the "Procurement Forms and Instructions for State Agencies" page, shall be submitted with the Proposal Application:

Budget - SPO-H-205

Personnel - Salaries and Wages - SPO-H-206A

Personnel: Payroll Taxes, Assessments, and Fringe Benefits - SPO-H-206B

Budget Justification, Travel - Inter-Island - SPO-H-206C (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Travel - Out of State - SPO-H-206D (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Contractual Services - Administrative - SPO-H-206E (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Contractual Services - Subcontracts - SPO-H-206F (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Program Activities - SPO-H-206H (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Equipment Purchases - SPO-H-206I (If applicable)

Budget Justification, Motor Vehicle - SPO-H-206J (If applicable)

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3.5.2 Other Financial Related Materials

3.5.2.1 Accounting System

In order to determine the adequacy of the applicant's accounting system as described under the administrative rules, the following documents are requested as part of the Proposal Application (may be attached):

The most recent financial audit.

3.6 Other

3.6.1 Litigation

The applicant shall disclose any pending litigation to which they are a party, including the disclosure of any outstanding judgement. If applicable, please explain.

END OF SECTION THREE

SECTION FOUR PROPOSAL EVALUATION

SECTION FOUR - PROPOSAL EVALUATION

4.1 Introduction

The evaluation of proposals received in response to the RFP will be conducted comprehensively, fairly and impartially. Structural, quantitative scoring techniques will be utilized to maximize the objectivity of the evaluation.

4.2 Evaluation Process

The procurement officer or an evaluation committee of designated reviewers selected by the head of the applicable Judiciary purchasing agency or procurement officer shall review and evaluate proposals. When an evaluation committee is utilized, the committee will be comprised of individuals with experience in, knowledge of, and program responsibility for program service and financing.

The evaluation will be conducted in three phases as follows:

- Phase 1 Evaluation of Proposal Requirements
- Phase 2 Evaluation of Proposal Application
- Phase 3 Recommendation for Award

4.2.1 Evaluation Categories and Threshold

Evaluation Categories		Possible Points
Requirements		Pass or Rejected
Proposal Application		100 Points
Program Overview	0 points	
Experience and Capability	20 points	
Project Organization and Staffing	15 points	
Service Delivery	55 points	
Financial	10 points	

TOTAL POSSIBLE POINTS

100 Points

4.3 Evaluation Criteria

4.3.1 Phase 1 - Evaluation of Proposal Requirements

4.3.1.1 Administrative Requirements

- Proposal Application Checklist
- Registration (if not pre-registered with the State Procurement Office)
- Certifications (as applicable)

4.3.1.2 Proposal Application Requirements

- Proposal Application Identification Form (Form SPO-H-200)
- Table of Contents
- Program Overview
- Experience and Capability
- Project Organization and Staffing

- Service Delivery
- Financial (all required forms and documents)
- Program Specific Requirements (as applicable)

4.3.2 Phase 2 - Evaluation of Proposal Application (100 Points)

4.3.2.1 Program Overview (0 Points)

- The applicant has demonstrated a thorough understanding of the purpose and scope of the service activity.
- The goals and objectives are in alignment with the proposed service activity.
- The applicant has described how the proposed service is designed to meet the pertinent issues and problems related to the service activity.

4.3.2.2 Experience and Capability (20 Points)

The Judiciary will evaluate the applicant's experience and capability relevant to the proposal contract which shall include:

- Demonstrated skills, abilities, knowledge of, and experience relating to the delivery of the proposed services.
- Sufficiency of quality assurance and evaluation plans for the proposed services, including methodology.
- Demonstrated capability to coordinate services with other agencies and resources in the community.
- Adequacy of facilities relative to the proposed services.

4.3.2.3 Project Organization and Staffing (15 Points)

The Judiciary will evaluate the applicant's overall staffing approach to the service that shall include:

- That the proposed staffing pattern, client/staff ratio, and proposed caseload capacity is reasonable to insure viability of the services.
- Minimum qualifications (including experience) for staff assigned to the program.
- Demonstrated ability to supervise, train and provide administrative direction to staff relative to the delivery of the proposed services.
- Organization Chart (Approach and rationale for the structure, functions, and staffing of the proposed organization for the overall service activity and tasks).

4.3.2.4 Service Delivery (55 Points)

Evaluation criteria for this section will assess the applicant's approach to the service activities and management requirements outlined in the Proposal Application. The evaluation criteria may also include an assessment of the logic of the work plan for the major service activities and tasks to be completed, including clarity in work assignments and responsibilities, and the realism of the timelines and schedules, as applicable.

4.3.2.5 *Financial* (10 Points)

- A. Pricing structure based on negotiated unit of service:
- Competitiveness and reasonableness of unit of service, as applicable.

OR

- B. Pricing structure based on fixed price:
- Applicant's proposal budget is reasonable, given program resources and operational capacity.

AND

C. Adequacy of accounting system.

4.3.3 Phase 3 - Recommendation for Award

Each notice of award shall contain a statement of findings and decision for the award or non-award of the contract to each applicant.

END OF SECTION FOUR

SECTION FIVE ATTACHMENTS

ATTACHMENT A - Proposal Application Checklist

ATTACHMENT B - **Proposal Application Identification Form, Application, and Sample Table of Contents**

ATTACHMENT C - Contract General Conditions (Pursuant to 103F, HRS)